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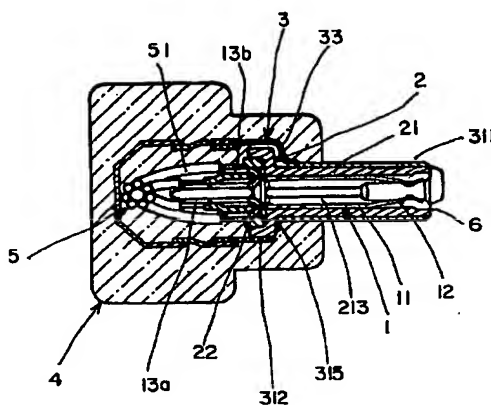
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(57) Abstract: An improved electrical connector has a construction enhancing durability for cable routing. The electrical connector includes a shield case for covering an insulative housing mounting a plurality of terminals, each of the terminals having a contact piece and a terminal piece, at least at a portion of the terminal piece extending from the insulative housing in a direction away from the contact piece, the terminal piece being capable of being connected to an electric wire of a cable an over-molding portion for securing the shield case along with the cable to shape the electrical connector, the shield casing having a tube-like portion engaging with a portion of the insulative housing and a box-like portion internally receiving at least a portion of the terminal piece and the electrical wire of the cable, and the tube-like portion and the box-like portion being connected via a continuous piece, the tube-like portion including a bending piece externally projecting from an edge of the tube like portion, the continuous piece and the bending piece being embedded in the over-molding portion. The insulative housing may also include a housing cap formed with terminal insertion holes, and a rear end opening portion of the terminal receiving spaces formed in the housing body is sealed by the housing cap. Also, terminal pieces of the terminals mounted in the terminal receiving spaces are rearwardly extended through the terminal insertion holes of the housing cap.